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1.1 1.2	moves to amend H.F. No. 2294, the delete everything amendment (H2294DE2), as follows:
1.3	Page 64, after line 21, insert:
1.4	"Autism study. \$200,000 is for the
1.5	commissioner of health, in partnership with
1.6	the University of Minnesota, to conduct a
1.7	qualitative study focused on cultural and
1.8	resource-based aspects of autism spectrum
1.9	disorders (ASD) that are unique to the
1.10	Somali community. By February 15,
1.11	2013, the commissioner shall report the
1.12	findings of this study to the legislature. The
1.13	report must include recommendations as to
1.14	establishment of a population-based public
1.15	health surveillance system for ASD."